## ALEXANDRIA VA.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1870

In Memoriam.

Alexandria paid her last sad tribute to day Robert Elward Lee, who, after a good fight, is now taking his rest. As his remains were deposited in the Chapel at Lexington this morning, a large concourse of the citizens of the town in which he spent his boyhood, and where some of his school-mates yet live, and of the county from which he took his wife, assembled in front of the M. E. Church, South, on Washington street, as the bell of Old Christ Church, in which he used to worship, was sending forth its solemn peals upon the Au tum's balmy air, to to express their heartfelt sorrow for the great loss, they, the State, and humanity had sustained. A platform had been erected for the purpose, and upon it were seated the officers of the meeting: Mayor Latham, President; R. H. Miller, Edgar Snowden, Sr., F. L. Smith, L. B. Taylor, Gen. M. D. Corse, Col. Morton Marye, Col. Arthur Herbert, W. G. Cazenove, G. Y. Worthington and John B. Smoot, Vice Presidents, and W. H. Mar bury, D. L. Smoot, and Harold Snowden, Secretaries, and the Rev. Messrs. Johnston, Bullock, Hough, Benson and McKim.

The ceremonies were begun with appropriate prayer by the Rev. Dr. Hough.

The President then stating that the object receive the report of the committee appointed at the citizens meeting yesterday, at Liberty Hall, introduced Edgar Snowden, Sr., who on the part of F. L. Smith, J. S. French, Geo. Bryan, L. B. Taylor, Edgar Snowden, Sr., committee, presented the following preamble and resolutions:

"WE THE CITIZENS OF ALEXANDRIA, participating in the feelings of deep sorrow for regarded him lightly. the death of GEN. ROBERT E. LEE, which are manifested by our fellow citizens throughout the State of Virginia, have assembled in pub lie meeting to give expression to those feelings, and to place on record our appreciation of the life and character of the deceased and our sense of his merits and pervices. It is, we think, particularly incumbent upon us to do so, both tion of an All Wise Providence been removed from our midst. It was here that he received a portion of his early education, it was here that his tenderest associations were created and maintained, it is here that cherished friend ships were formed which lasted through life, and towards this place and its people, he always showed deep attachment. To all the other claims, therefore, that his memory has upon our affectional respect, is to be added those kindly remembrances and home sympathies which made us regard him as peculiarly one of our own people. We therefore gather around his tomb, as we do when death strikes one of our own family, and throw our wreaths of laurel upon a grave on which we hope no human being would plant a nettle.

Resolved, therefore, that we mourn the loss which our State and Country has sustained in the death of a truly Great Man-one of the most honored of Virginia's sons-a man with an escutcheon bright and untarnished -a man without fear and without reproach, whose example as a soldier, a citizen, and a christian is worthy of the highest praise and of the imita tion of every Virginian-a man whose career, military and civil, has made almost prophetic, the words addressed to him, at a memorable period of his life, when the President of the Convention of the People of his native State. in tendering him his commission as Comman der of the Armies of the State, hoped that he, 100, like George Washington, might be first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of

his countrymen. Resolved, that we cherish and honor the memory of the deceased with that respectful reverence which is due to a character so exalted as his was, and to a life devoted to the consci entious discharge of duty, in whatever situa tion he was placed; and that among the claims to our gratitude which Gen. Lee held, along with his services, and sufferings, and heroic exertions, we fondly recognize his constant efforts to assist in the cause of Education, and the general Prosperity of our State, when the strile of arms ceased, and he was enabled to turn his attention to, what was to him, the more "delightful plans of peace."

Resolved, that in paying this heartfelt tribute to the memory and services of the illustrious dead wewould affectionately condole with the bereaved family and relatives of the Chief, and tender to them the expression of our profound sympathy, and our carnest hope that they may great calamity by that Divine Power which he himself acknowledged, on which he reposed his confidence and belief, and which was his guide and support throughout his honored life.

that though it was customary upon similar occasions for him who presented the report, to follow it with some remarks, he would not be guided by such precedent did he not feel that in the marshal's office be correct, is about those in whose presence he stood composed a 37,000. large family circle, from which one member had been taken away. He then in a short address portrayed the examples which youth, middle and old age should make of the life of the studioious boy and the concientious man, whose death was the occasion of the prevailing sorrow. He mentioned that Mr. Benjamin Hallowell, to whom Gen. Lee had gone to school in this city, but who differed with the General in polities, had said of him during the war, that he was conscientious in his convictions of duty.

Mr. Snowden concluded by contrasting the homage paid to Gen. Lee upon his return from the leadership of a lost cause with that paid to more successful generals.

F. L. Smith, Sr., in seconding the report of

the committee, said:

MR. CHAIRMAN: - I move the adoption of the resolutions which have just been read within our hearing. They tell sir, in "thoughts
that breathe, and words that burn"—the sad
occasion of our coming together. Ours, Mr.
Chairman, is no common loss. In the bond and
fellowship, therefore, of an equal grief in the
death of our beloved General, Robert E. Lee,

as curpulses quicken, and our eyes grow dim, with the thought of all the painful past, and still more painful present, let us emulate the noble fortitude with which our great Hero ever met adversity. May his example in all the trials of a chequered life be this moment present with us, and may the legacy of his imperishable sentiment, that "Human virtue should be equal to human calamity," "be graven with an iron pen, and lead, in the rock forever."

And now, as cur great chieftain has struck his tent for the last time, and as his sacred ashes (for which the earth itself seems scarce a fitting Mausoleum) are being committed to the dust, and as the last echo, of the last volley, fades among the blue hills of Virginia, let us in humble submission acknowledge the hand of Almighty God in this, our painful visitation. But so long as the South wind shall blow softly about his lone pillow, so long as the sun shall cover him with a mantle of living green, or the winter storms shall weave their snowy drapery about him, so long shall he live in the hearts of his devoted countrymen.

With talents of the highest order, improved by an elegant and finished education, modest to the memory of the great gentleman General noble, brave and good, he has written "his

glorious name, A light, a land-mark, on the cliffs of fame.' Perhaps no illustrious man in any age has ever had a more fitting monument than has General Lee, in the concurrent testimony to his worth, by all men of all parties. Virginia stands before the world to-day, like Niobe, all tears, and the voice of her weeping and lamentation might almost reach the "dull cold ear of death." But, though honor's voice cannot "provoke the silent dust," millions of living hearts do speak, and from North, and from South come words of human sympathy, potent to heal the breaches of the past, and seal us in a common brotherhood of grief. May I be pardoned for claiming your attention to the following sentiment from the Northern press:

"On a quiet autumn morning, in the land which he loved so well, and, as he held, served so faithfully, the spirit of Robert E. Lee left the clay which it had so much ennobled and traveled out of this world into the great and mysterious land. Yesterday the expressions of regret which sprang from the few who surrounded the bedside of the dying soldier and Christian will be swelled to day into one mighty voice of sorrow, resounding throughout our country and extending over all parts of the world where his great genius and his many virtues are known. For not to the Southern people alone shall be limited the tribute of a tear over the dead Virginian. Here in the North, forgetting that the time was when the for which the meeting had convened was to sword of Robert E. Lee was drawn against us -torgetting and forgiving all the years of bloodshed and agony-we have long since ceased to look upon him as the Contederate leader, but have claimed him as one of ourselves; have cherished and felt proud of his military genius as belonging to us; have recount-Col. G. W. Brent and Col. C. E. Stuart, the have extolled his virtues as reflecting honor ed and recorded his triumphs as our own upon us-for Robert E. Lee was an American and the great nation which gave him birth would be to day unworthy of such a son if she

Never had mother a nobler son. In him the military genius of America was developed to a greater extent than ever before. In him all hat was pure and lofty in mind and purpose sund lodgment. Dignified without presumpion, affable without familiarity, he united all those charms of manners which made him the idol of his friends and of his soldiers, and won in the performance of a public duty, and as for him the respect and admiration of the the friends and neighbors, for many years, of world. Even as, in the days of his triumph, the illustrious man, who has by the dispensa- glory did not intoxicate, so when the dark press. From the hour that he surrendered his sword at Appomattox to the fatal antumn morning he passed among men noble in his quiet, simple dignity, displaying neither bitterness nor regret over the irrevocable past. He conquered us in misfortune by the grand manner in which he sustained himself, even as he dazzled us by his genius when the tramp of his soldiers resounded through the valleys of Virginia.

And for such a man we are all tears and sorrow to day. Standing beside his grave men of the South and men of the North can morn with all the bitterness of four years of warfare erased by this common bereavement. May this unity of grief-this unselfish manifestation over the loss of the Bayard of America-in the season of dead leaves and withered branches which this death ushers in, bloom and blossom like the distant coming spring into the flowers of a beartier accord."

And who, Mr. Chairman, in his inmost heart does not approve and sympathize in these beautiful and appropriate sentiments!

But, friends and fellow-citizens, in this perishing world, where the issues of life and of death are so strangely blended, we sorrow not as those without hope. As a soldier of the cross, he has fought a good fight, he has finished his course, he has kept the faith; henceforth, there is laid up for him a crown of rightousness. The laurel wreath of Time, with which we so fondly decked his brow, is laid aside for an eternal diadem, which shall shine as the stars, forever and ever.

The report was unanimously adopted, the expression of assent being manifested by all present lifting their hats.

Rev. Dr. Bullock then offered grace, and the assemblage dispersed.

Business throughout the city was almost entirely suspended, the church and fire bells tolled at intervals, portraits of the deceased hung with crape were exposed in many places, and all the public and many of the private houses in the city were draped in mourning.

The Richmond correspondent of the Baltimore Sun says : - "At the office of the United States marshal for this district I have learned that complete census returns are now in from be strengthened and consoled in this their all the counties of the State but eleven, and that, estimating these cleven counties upon a fair basis of loss and gain (according to locali ties) as developed in those already returned, Mr. Snowden, after reading the report, said | the total population of Virginia will not exceed 1,209,607. In 1860 the population of this State was 1,246,690, and the degrease of population in Virginia since then, if the estimates

Dr. T. J. Pretlow, having been recommended by a convention of the Conservatives of the 2nd congressional district as a candidate for the State at large for Congress, has accepted the nomination. His letter on the subject will be published on Monday. It is said that if it is thought best, after the decision of the House of Representatives on this subject, and which closed the door upon a Representative at large, the Conservative members of the Legislature will propose a candidate Dr. Pretlow may be named.

The steamship Washington, which cleared from Wilmington, Del., yesterday, took fire nine miles below the city, and was run ashore on the point of Big Island. The cargo consists of about 700 barrels spirits turpentine, 300 bales of cotton and a few barrels of rosin. There is no doubt that the vessel will prove a

The Conservative party in Loudoun, seeing the strong efforts which are making in that county, in opposition to the Conservative candidate for Congress, and the Conservative candidates for county offices, are beginning to be earnest and active in behalf of their cause, their candidates, and their principles. This is not a contest merely about men, or for or against men, but it involves higher matters-it is one in which every voter of Conservative views must maintain his opinion by his vote.

Some reports having pevailed that Judge Thomas and Col. Brent were disaffected towards Col. Braxton, the Conservative Candi date for Congress from this district, or will not give him their support, it is proper to state that all such reports are entirely incorrectand we believe that both these gentlemen, and their friends, will give him their warm and hearty support.

The President returned to Washington yesterday from his visit to the Frederick county, Md., fair. He and the Cabinet have been invited to attend the Georgia State Fair at Atlanta. It is thought they may accept the invitation.

Letter from Richmond. RICHMOND, Oct. 14.- Except the introduction of a few bills in the Senate, the Legis lature, to-day, did nothing of importance, and upon a report that the remains of Gen. Lee would be brought here for interment on Monday, adjourned until Tuesday.

In the House of Delegates, to day, immediately upon assembling a motion to adjourn

until Tuesday was carried. In the Senate the bills passed by the House on Wednesday were reported and appropriately reterred, and the following were reported from committees: amending the registration laws; appointing trustees for the town of Carrbo rough, in Prince William county; amending the act authorizing County Courts to borrow money; providing a charter for the town of Front Royal, and amending the tax law so as to reduce the license on livery stables and billiard saloons.

Among the bills introduced were the following: Regulating proceedings in cases between landlords and tenants in Alexandria; amending the code in reference to the sale of lands of persons under disabilities; regulating the sale of merchandise by sample; in relation to the partition of lands; incorporating the Potomac Valley Railroad company; to provide for the pay of jurors, and amending the law for the re assessment of lands.

In the Chahoon case a motion was made to day to send the case before a committing magistrate for examination. The Judge reserved his decision. The motion was based upon a statute enacted by the Legislature of 1866-7

## Letter from Loudoun Co.

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazatte LEESBURG, Oct. 17 .- I have seen the letter of your correspondent, "Aliquis," in respect to our nominee for Congress, Major Braxton. Aliquis says, that Mr. McKenzie will get a

large number of Conservative votes here, and that it will not be made a party matter. This is a great mistake. The Conservative party of Loudoun went into the convention in behalf of Judge Thomas, but in good faith to all. We one. It is the most perfect Governor in use, gentlemen, we intend to preserve our faith and integrity by voting for our regular and fairly

chosen nominee. It is true that some few-very few-men who voted with us at late elections, will vote for Mr. McKenzie now but they never have been with us in conscientious principle, and from their vascilating opinions, can never exercise any influence in party matters. It such men had their way, the Conservatives would soon be under the malignant heel of the colored race and carpet baggers. Our only salvation lies in our active unity. Division in our ranks involves the destruction of our party; the loss of all that we have won, and a dark future.

frought with no good for us, or for our State. I supported Mr. McKenzie at the last elec tion, and personally like him very well; and, as a stockholder in the W. & O. R. K. will vote for his re-election as its President; but this Congressional contest is not personal to him or to any man whomsoever. It involves principles and consequences which, as Conservatives, we cannot nay, dare not, ignore.

Eighteen months ago all the radicals denounced Mr. McKenzie, but since he has served them so well in Congress, what do you behold now? Why, in Loudoun, on Monday last, he was endorsed by them, and in Fauquier he is their nominee; and he is, besides, published and heralded in their incendiary sheets as their regular Standard Bearer! The so called Conservative who supports him, un der the circumstances, will prove himself a traitor to both principle and party, and com pletely statily his past professions.

Last night the radical colored people and some scalawags held a secret meeting here, and they are now holding these meetings and organizing all over the State. Rest assured that we are in far greater danger than we imagine, and it behooves us as Conservatives to be harmonious, united, and active. Apathy is our great bane at present.

I accord to "Aliquis" the right to his own opinions, but I do not think that he ought to undertake to speak, in print, for this county upon a matter of so much importance, about which I am sure he is in error, and, at any rate, knows no more than any body else. LOUDOUN.

THE FUNERAL of Gen. Lee was to have taken place at Lexington, Va, to-day, at 12 o'clock. The following was the order of procession arranged for the melancholy occasion : 1. Escort of Honour, consisting of officers and soldiers of the late Confederate Army.

2. The Chaplain and other clergy. 3. Pall bearers, with the body.

4. Trustees and Faculty of Washington Col-

Students of Washington College. 6. Visitors and Faculty V. M. I. Officers and Cadets V. M. I. S. Masons and Odd Fellows.

Citizens. The following Pall bearers have been named : 1. Judge F. T. Anderson, David E. Moore, Sr.—Trustees of the College.

2. Ex Gov. John Letcher, Com. M. F. Maury-for the Military Institute. 3. Prof. W. Preston Johnston, Prof. J Randolph Tucker-Professors Washington College.

4. Wm. L. Prather, Elward P. Clarke,-Students Washington College. 5. Capt. J. C. Boude, Capt. J. P. Moore-

Soldiers C. S. A. 6. Wm. G. White, Jos. G. Steele-Citizens

VIRGINIA DELEGATES to the Southern Convention, as far as known :- B. Johnson Bar bour, Orange county; Gen. James R. Anderson, G. P. Preston, Wm. W. Archer, F. T. Glascow, Isaac H. Carrington, Thomas Branch, J. W. Gibson, John Enders, and John H. Greaher, Richmond ; John C. Armistead, J. F. Young, and R C. Osborne, Petersburg;

Loss of the Steamship Continental.

San Francisco, Oct. 14.-The steamship Continental left Mazatian with a full complement of passengers, \$140,000 in treasure. 700 tons of salt and a large mail. On the 28th of September she encountered a severe gale in the Gulf and sprung a leak. The pumps were worked constantly for twelve hours, but to no worked constantly for twelve hours, but to no son, Wedderburn, Beadle and Parker. avail. At 9 o'clock on the morning of the 29th the water reached the furcaces, putting out the fires. All hopes of saving the vessel were then abandoned, and six boats filled with people shoved off.

Seven passengers and the second cook refus ed to leave the steamer and went down with her. Two of the boats arrived at Cape St. Lucas on the evening of the 30th. The other boats landed near Cape St. Lucas. The escaped passengers and a portion of the crew are on board the steamer Colorado. The others of the crew are on the gunboat Ossipee. The Continental's treasure and mails are a total loss.

ABOUT TAXATION. - Taxation is injuring the business of this country; undermining the prosperity of the people.-Taxation has been made as general as the air, by the action of the party in power. They have left nothing untouched by the fingers of the tax collector .-People pay the tax, road tax, bridge tax, district tax, town tax, county tax, State tax, National tax, interest tax, revenue tax, income tax, production tax, penalty tax. In addition | vine will and sorrow for this great bereaveto these exactions, people pay taxes on farms, shops, horses, cow;, pigs, cattte, chickens, beds, tables, wagons, harness, tools, watches, furniture, provisions, and a host of other arti cles which need not be enumerated. Not content with this, an income tax is levied and collected supporting a host of inquisitorial offi cials. - Lynch. News.

THE OYSTER FUNDUM. - Gov. Wise was before the Committee of the Legislature on this subject yesterday, and made a statement which occupied two hours, abounding with valuable information. The spawn of a single female oyster was said to be capable of producing from one to three millions of oysters! Good news for those who feared the crop was running short. The tide water delegates do not want the oyster fundum taxed, but as Gov. Wise says, he would rather own the oyster beds of Virginia than the gold mines of California, they will doubtless have to come in for their share of the public burthen in the shape of State taxation. - Fredericksburg Herald.

FRENCH REPORTS .- The news from Paris is important if true. Advices received at Tours, by M. Gambetta, and by him made public, report that the troops assembled in Paris marched out, in force on Wednesday last, and attacking the Prussians, drove them from all the positions they have been occupying around the city for the past three weeks. Another despatch, purporting to have been received at Tours yesterday, by carrier pigeon, states that the Prussians besieging Paris were in full retreat, and that the enthusiasm at Paris, in consequence of this unexpected event, was indescribable. - Balt. Gaz.

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CITY COUNCIL.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

COMMON COUNCIL. At a called meeting of the Common Council, neld October 13th, 1870, there were present:—

The President stated that in consideration of the object for which the meeting had been called, the Clerk would omit the reading of the proceedings of the last meeting, and read the following communication, which was done:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, ALEXANDRIA, October 13, 1870. To the Honorable City Council:

Gentlemen-The sad and mournful duty devoives upon me to inform you officially of the death of the patriot, General Robert E. Lee.— He died at his residence, in Lexington, Va., on the 12th instant. The language of eulogy is mute; the elo

quence of the orator is vain in any attempt to add lustre to the character or fame of that truly reat man. The peoples of the world, where his name and deeds are known, with one accord, acknowledge

his virtues and his greatness. Calm and judicious in council; brave, skillful and energetic in the field; merciful and magnanimous in victory; adversity could not depress him; success could not make him forget that he was a christian and a soldier.

The world will mourn his death; this coun try will grieve, and the South, the chief mourner, will bow with humble submission to the Diment, but not as those without hope.

To you, gentlemen, is assigned the duty of testifjing the feelings of this community at this

HUGH LATHAM, Mayor. On motion of Mr. Wedderburn, the Board of Aldermen was invited into the chamber, the Chair appointing Mr. Wedderburn to convey

dispensation of Providence.

The Board of Aldermen having entered the chamber, The President of the Common Council stated that the object of the joint meeting was to pass

such resolutions of respect for the memory of the deceased as might be advisable. Mr. Shinn offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved. That a committee of two from each Board be appointed by the Chair to draft resoutions expressive of the feelings of this community, occasioned by the sad announcement of the death of Gen. Robt. E. Lee; and under it

Messrs. Wedderburn and Wheat were appointed on the part of the Common Council, and Messrs. French and Markell on that of the Board of Aldermen. The committee retired, and the joint meeting

ook a recess. The committee having returned, reported, through their chairman, Mr. French, who paid a tribute to the expressions contained in the Mayor's communication, the following preamble and resolutions, which were unanimously adopted

WHERE is, in the dispensation of an all-wise and merciful Providence, we are called upon to mourn the death of General Robert Edward Lee; as his friends and former neighbors, we have assembled to unite in expressing our heart felt sorrow at the great affliction which has befallen his family and humanity at large. In his conduct through life he was an ornament of the age in which he lived; his memory is enhrined in the hearts of his countrymen, and his life adorns the pages of our country's history; be it, therefore.

hesolved by the Board of Aldermen and the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, That we have heard with deep and heart felt sorrow of the death of Gen Robert Edward Lee, a christian gentleman, whom we mourn as a friend endeared to our community by his resi dence near us and his associations with us in the past.

In him we deplore the loss of one who, by p:ecept and example, has ennobled and adorned human nature; liberty never had a more sin-cere and disinterested votary, nor humanity a truer friend.

The land of his birth sorrows, weeping over SEED WHEAT.—Boughton and Purple Straw, early varieties, which produced so well the past season. Also Lancaster Amber and other kinds for sale by GEO. Y WORTHINGERS. its loss, but it does not bound his fame; for in

With his afflicted family we condole and but unite our sympathies with those of the country

Resolved, That the public buildings in this city be draped in mourning for the period of thirty days.

Resolved, That the town bell be tolled at intervals of three minutes on the day of the funeral ceremonias, and that the owners of other alarm bells be requested to cause such an ob-

servance of respect. Resolved, That the merchants and business men of our city be requested to close their places of business on the day of the funeral. Resolved, That the above preamble and resoutions be recorded among the minutes of the

Common Council, and that a copy of them be forwarded to the family of the deceased. On motion of Mr. Wheat, it was resolved Scotch Whiskies, all very fine, in store and for that should intelligence be received here to the sale by

brought to Alexandria, the City Council would be immediately convened. The joint meeting then dissolved, and the Board adjourned. HAROLD SNOWDEN. Cl'k.

OTICE.

THROUGH TO LYNCHBURG & SOUTH-WEST.

On Saturday, the 15th instant, connection THROUGH TO LYNCHBURG will be made over the Orange, Alexaudria and Manassas R. R., and on Monday, the 17th, passengers for the Southwest may rely on passing to all points without any delay. On Monday, the 17th, passengers for MA-NASSAS DIVISION must leave Alexandria

on the main line train at 8 o'clock. The passenger train on Manassas will run only to and from the Junction for the present. oct 15-1w J. M. BROADUS, G. T. A.

©25 REWARD—Stolen from my pasture, ©25 near Brandy station. Culpeper county, Va, on the night of the 27th ultimo, a DUNN COLORED HORSE, with three white feet (both hind and right fore one) biack mane and tail, about nine or ten years old, and sixteen hands high; had some collar marks and branded with the letters U.S. on the left shoulder; B on left hip and S under the mane.

I will give the above reward for his recovery or for any information that will enable me to do so. Address L. C. REDD, oc 15-lw Brandy station, O., A. & M. R R. L. C. REDD.

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LEGAL NOTICES. N THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR FAIRFAX

county, June term. 1870: Witmer & Co. vz. John H. Haynes: In chancery. The Court doth further adjudge, order and decree, that this cause be referred to one of the Commissioners of this Court, with instructions to convene the creditors of the said John H. Haynes, by publication for four consecutive weeks, in some newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, Va., such publication to be equivalent to personal service; that he report the liens existing on said land, how and to whom due; and also the annual and fee simple value of the same, with any matter he may deem perlinent, or that either party may require to be reported specially. Extract.
Teste: F. D. RICHARDSON, Clerk.

Parties interested in the above decree are hereby notified that I have fixed upon the 20th day of October, 1870, at my office, at Fairfax Court House, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m, as the time and place I will carry out the instructions therein mentioned, where they are requested to attend, with

their vouchers and other evidence.

JAMES M. LOVE. Com. in Ch'y. Circuit Ct. sep 17-law4w VIRGINIA: -At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the fifth day of September, 1870: William H. Thompson vs. The Southern and Atlantic Telegraph Company: Case and

The object of this suit is to recover of the de-indants the sum of fifty three dollars and ten ents, with interest from the 25th day of July, 1870, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same the estate of the defendants within the city of Alexandria.

The defendants, The Southern and Atlantic Telegraph Company, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A MORTON MARYE, Cl'k. copy, teste: MO L. B. Taylor, p. q.

VIRGINIA:-At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 3d day of October, 1870. James E. Henderson vs. W. H. Davis and W. H. Ingersoll, copartners, doing business under the firm name of Davis & Ingersoll: Trespason the case and attachment.

The object of this suit is to recover of the de fendants, Davis & Ingersoll, the sum of one hundred dollars and fifty cents, with interest from March 1st, 1870, till paid, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same the estate of the said W. H. Davis and W. H. Inger-

The attachment having been returned exe cuted, and the defendants, W. if. Davis and W. H. Ingosoll, not having been served with a copy of the attachment or with process in this suit, as appears by the return of the Sergeant, and not having entered their appearance it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court

House of this city. A copy, testa:
MORTON MARYE, Clerk D. L. Smoot, p. q oct 7-law4w

VIRGINIA :- At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 3d day of October, 1870, Noble Smith vs. George W. Carpenter and John Naglee: In chancery and on attach

The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant, George W. Carpenter, the um of three hundred and forty-nine dollars, with interest from May 20, 1866, and to attach in the hands of the defendant, John Naglee, and subject to the payment of the same all interest which the defendant, G. W. Carpenter, may have in a certain judgment obtained in the Circuit Court for Prince William county, by the said George W. Carpenter and Edward O'Brien, joint partners, against the said defendant, John

The defendant, George W. Carpenter, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by atlidavit that he is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after the publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this coun-

ty. A copy, teste:
MORTON MARYE, Clerk. Brent & Wattles, p. q. oct 7-law4w VIRGINIA, to wit: -In the Circuit Court

of Fairfax county, October Rules, 1870 Eliza J. Gunnell, adm'x of Joshua C. Gunnell, use O. W. Huntt and Thomas Moore, Receivers, complainant, vs. J. R. Pugh and S. T. Stuart, defendants: In chancery, Mem: The object of this suit is to enforce a judgment for \$323.36, with interest from 15th

acres, the property of defendant Stuart, to the payment of the same.
It appearing by affidavit filed that the defendant S. T. Stuart is a non resident of this State, it is ordered that he appear here within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect his interest. A copy, teste: F. D. RICHARDSON, Cl'k. oct 6-law4w

April, 1859, and \$2.98; and to subject a tract

of land in the county of Fairfax, containing 60

Moore, p. q VIRGINIA, to wit :- In the County Court V of Fairfax county, October Rules, 1870:— Harriet R. Pindall and Thomas J. Lowe, complainants, vs John Chew and Thomas E. Chew. defendants: In chancery. Mem: The object of this suit is to ascertain

the debts against Elizabeth Chew, and to subject the real estate to the payment of her debts.
It appearing by affidavit filed that the defendants are non residents of this State, it is ordered that they appear here within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect their interests. A copy, F. D. RICHARDSON, CPk. oct 10-law-w Moore, p. q.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the Alexardria and Fredericksburg Railroad Company will apply to the County Court of Alexandria county, at the ensuing No vember term-thereof, for the appointment of five disinterested freeholders, who, or any three or more of whom, shall constitute a board to ascertain a just compensation to the owners of land upon the line of their improvement within the said county, for such of the said lands as are proposed to be taken by such company for

Alexandria, October 3, 1870. GEO. B. ROBERTS, President of said Company oct 3-law4w F. L. Smith, Attorney.

BANK OF THE OLD DOMINION, Alexandria, Va., June 27th, 1870. Notice is hereby given that the countersign ed notes of this Bank and its Branch at Pearisburg must be presented at this office for redemption at par on or before the 1st day of July, 1871, or the same will be barred, in conformity with an act of the General Assembly of Virginia, passed June 16th, 1870, entitled an 'Act for the relief of the Bank of the Old Dominion."

This Bank having been in a course of liquidation for the past five years, and it being very desirable to close up its business and to redeem the small amount of its circulation now outstanding, the holders of its notes are earnestly requested to present them for payment at an early day. WM. H. LAM R. H. MILLER, Prest. WM. H. LAMBERT, Cashier

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